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**Expedited Procedure Requested
Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: HABECKER et al.)	Examiner: Daniel J. Jenkins
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Application No.: 10/795,968)	Group Art Unit: 1742
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Filed: March 8, 2004)	Confirmation No.: 8631
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Docket No.: 99066CON2 (3600-198-02))	

For: HIGH CAPACITANCE NIOBIUM POWDERS AND ELECTROLYTIC CAPACITOR ANODES

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

This Request for Reconsideration is in response to the final Office Action dated September 26, 2005, for which the Examiner has set a three-month period for response. A Petition for a two-month extension of time and the requisite fee are submitted herewith, thus making the response due on or before February 26, 2006.